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Nominations Welcomed for 2014 Riverside Heroes Awards

Riverside residents whose volunteer activities benefit the community may be nominated until Oct. 1

RIVERSIDE, Calif. – The City of Riverside Human Relations Commission will honor residents whose outstanding volunteer service has benefited the community at the Riverside Heroes Awards, to be held on November 13.

Nominations may be made until 5:00 p.m. on Oct. 1. Nomination forms may be downloaded from the City's website at www.riverside.ca.gov/hrc. Completed nomination forms may be submitted by mail, email, or in person to the Riverside Human Relations Commission.

In 2013, nine outstanding Riversiders were honored with a Heroes award for impacting Riverside in a variety of ways.

“The Riverside Heroes represent our community’s social capital,” Mayor Rusty Bailey said. “They have given selflessly of their time for the well-being of the community. By their efforts, they have enhanced and enriched Riverside. They are why Riverside is the best place to live, work, study, play and raise a family.”

The ceremony to award honorees will be held on the Grier Pavilion at 3900 Main Street, 7th Floor, Riverside City Hall at 6:00 p.m. on Nov. 13.

Nominees for the award must be Riverside residents of any age whose volunteer activities have been performed in the City of Riverside and within the last year. The service work on which nominations are based must have been performed on a volunteer basis, without pay, and the volunteer activities must have benefited the community in some way. No elected officials, groups, or organizations may be nominated and self-nominations are ineligible for consideration.

Once the Human Relations Commission receives submitted nominations, the Heroes Awards Committee will evaluate them to ensure criteria have been met.

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